

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

Dr. C. C. Ferrell.

The tragic death of Clifton Ferrell at Birmingham, Ala., Sunday morning, has caused a profound feeling of sorrow in Hopkinsville. Although he had not lived here for many years he was known to everybody by reason of his frequent visits to his father, the late Maj. J. O. Ferrell, and of more recent years to his mother. His boyhood was spent here and many of his former schoolmates attended his funeral services yesterday. Dr. Ferrell was one of the best educated men Hopkinsville has turned out in a generation. He was a scholar of profound learning and as an author had written a number of books that attracted wide attention. As an educator he had reached a high position, when he decided to enter commercial life. To his widowed and now childless mother, the sympathies of many warm friends are extended.

Roy L. McCardell won the \$10,000 offered by the American Manufacturing Film Co., for the best photoplay submitted. The title is "The Diamond From the Sky." McCardell is a well known writer of photoplays. His name was not discovered until the award had been made by a committee.

Hon. A. O. Stanley opened his campaign for governor at Frankfort Saturday to a large crowd in the old statehouse yard. Mr. Stanley's speech was vigorous, comprehensive and full of vim, but without bitterness or invective. The speech will in the near future be given in full.

The ladies of Owensboro have organized an "Athenae Club." Why not let "The Athenaeum," of Hopkinsville, invite the ladies to send a representative over to the opening session Thursday night?

A Baptist church at Jackson has called the Rev. J. H. Broom to the pastorate. The capital of Breathitt should be a splendid place for a minister to clean-up. — Elizabethtown News.

The captain of the Gulfight dropped dead when his ship was hit by a German torpedo. Sailing the high seas is no calling for a man nowadays who is liable to be scared to death.

A conference of Dixie Highway workers, including some from Louisville, was held at Salem, Ind., Saturday. Several routes out of Louisville are proposed.

Webster county may renounce State aid for roads as public opinion is believed to be against the plan suggested by the State Highway Commissioner.

Janesville, Tenn., had a lynching the other night. Tom Brooks, who killed R. L. Day and Pleas Hawkins, was taken from the sheriff and hanged by a mob.

New York's unemployed amount to more than 398,000, according to a Department of Labor report.

Bedford's champion boy orator is named Byron Bacon Black. He probably won by being a busy B.

Another big battle in Mexico between Villa and Obregon is expected soon at Aguascalientes.

A severe snowstorm in California and other Western States caused much damage Saturday.

Dr. Cherry evidently concluded that he was not of the "Governor Wood" variety.

Twelve hundred morphine tablets were stolen from a drug store in Owensboro.

The 42-centimeter shells used by the Germans measure 16½ inches in length.

Bosworth is the first man to file his petition in the governor's race.

EYE-OPENER IS PLANNED

Bluegrass Farmers To Be Brought to Christian County.

TO LEARN A FEW THINGS

Geoffrey Morgan Has Demonstration Plan To Show What Can Be Done.

In order that the people of the bluegrass section may get a fair idea of what a fine country western Kentucky really is and what a progressive lot of farmers live here, Geoffrey Morgan, formerly farm demonstrator for Christian county, but now district supervisor of farm demonstrators for about fifteen central Kentucky counties, with his headquarters at Richmond, Ky., is arranging to bring a big party of farm demonstrators and farmers from that section down here for a visit. He has picked out Warren and Christian counties as the ones to be visited. In a long letter to the Hopkinsville Business Men's Association he outlines his plan, and says the party will leave Lexington on a special train of sleepers on June 1, reaching Bowling Green on the morning of June 2 and spend the day there and then come here for the next day.

In each county he purposes that the local commercial clubs provide automobiles to carry the party to points of interest in the counties visited, and that in Bowling Green they be given a big strawberry dinner and at Hopkinsville they be given a barbecue. Also any other entertainment may be provided.

Mr. Morgan says that this plan has the enthusiastic endorsement of the United States agricultural department, which has agreed to pay the expenses of each of the twenty-two farm demonstrators now employed in central Kentucky counties. In addition he proposes to bring not less than four farmers from each county, and they must agree before coming to write articles for their local papers when they return home. In his letter Mr. Morgan says: "Their idea of Christian county is a land of sassafras bushes and sage grass, night riders, 'possum hunters and other disturbances. I have become weary of this, and so have hit upon a plan to disillusion their minds and introduce them to the 'Modern Garden of Eden.'"

The proposition has met with enthusiastic acceptance both here and at Bowling Green, and it seems already assured that it will be carried out, and the visit of the bluegrass farmers will be a memorable occasion.

B. Gordon Nelson of the Kentucky Corn Club department, whose home is here, is actively co-operating with Mr. Morgan in working the matter up.

Crawley Vass.

Herbert Vass and Miss Mary Lee Crawley stole a march on their friends Wednesday afternoon by going to Evansville, where they were married. The young people came to Henderson several months ago from Hopkinsville. Miss Crawley had been doing some sewing, while Mr. Vass holds a position in the Hotel Kingdom barbershop. They were lovers before coming to Henderson and their marriage was not a surprise to their close personal friends.

Wednesday they went to Evansville, secured a license and were married in the afternoon. They returned to Henderson on the 7 o'clock train and went to the bride's boarding house at R. S. Eastin's, on Maple avenue, before telling any one of their marriage. For the present they will board at Mr. Eastin's and may go to housekeeping later. Both are quite popular and have a host of friends both here and Hopkinsville, who wish them much happiness through life. — Gleaner.

A FATAL CRAP GAME

Dead Body of Cross Billingsly Found Early Sunday Morning.

AT WHEATLAND GRANGE HALL

Three Negroes in Jail Awaiting Trial Next Thursday.

Cross Billingsly, a young negro man about 25 years of age, was found dead near the road close to the Wheatland Grange Hall, at 2 o'clock Sunday morning. The discovery was made by Dick Moore, who reported the fact at once. Billingsly had last been seen with two other negroes named Ed Sanders and Wallace Goodrich and as soon as he could reach the scene Sunday morning Sheriff Jewell Smith went to Mr. P. B. Pendleton's, where they lived, and took both men into custody. Upon reaching the city they acknowledged the killing, but said that the fatal wound was made by Calvin Yancey, an ex-convict. Sheriff Smith made a return trip and arrested Yancey.

The killing grew out of a crap game, is the report, and on the spot where the body was found there was evidence of a struggle. Billingsly's clothing was torn and the only wound was a knife thrust 2 or 3 inches below the collar-bone, on the right side, that severed an artery. The supposition is that one or more held him while he was knifed, as he was a powerful man, weighing 200 pounds. An inquest was held and the verdict implicated Sanders and Goodrich. M. H. Carroll was foreman. Yancey has recently been a day hand at F. B. Lacy's. Billingsly lived at Ben Bradshaw's. All three of the men are in jail and the examining trial will be held Thursday.

JUGULAR VEIN CUT

Negro Man Survives a Most Dangerous Knife Wound.

Frank Davie, who resides on Mr. Frank Stowe's farm, near Church Hill, had his throat cut Saturday afternoon while in the city. Davie declined to say who cut him, stating that two other negroes were in a fight and in attempting to separate them he received the wound. The gash in his neck was six inches long and the jugular was severed. He lost much blood and it took quick work of a surgeon to stop the flow. It took fifteen stitches to close the wound, after both ends of the jugular vein had been tied.

Davie was able to be taken to his home the same afternoon and the chances are that he will recover.

Owensboro Wakes Up.

Come on with your bitulithic streets, Mayor Hickman. Extend the work out Frederica street at least to Griffith avenue, and up Third street to Daviess. The Messenger will cheerfully pay its part and help out the Y. M. C. A. on its part, also. Good streets for Owensboro and good roads for Daviess county should be the motto of every progressive citizen. — Owensboro Messenger.

Overstreet-Woodson.

Mr. and Mrs. Urey Woodson, of Owensboro, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Janey Woodson, to Mr. William E. Overstreet. The wedding will take place on June 1.

Married in Memphis.

Lawrence Hord, son of Mrs. J. G. Hord, of this city, and Miss Mary Sencerbox were married in Memphis a few days ago. The groom has been residing in Memphis for several years.

DR. FERRELL ASSASSINATED

Shot To Death By A Negro Seeking To Rob Commissary.

KILLED WHEN HE APPEARED.

Remains Brought Here For Internment Yesterday Afternoon.

Mr. Ferrell had taken his wife and children into Birmingham that morning and had returned in the afternoon. Late in the night he heard a suspicious noise about the commissary, which was in a separate building near the dwelling house. He arose and went out to investigate, firing a pistol into the ground to frighten off the thief. A negro man was under the commissary armed with a shotgun and fired upon him with both barrels. One load took effect in his left arm and the other in the left side of his bowels. He lived fifteen minutes, conscious to the last.

Dogs were put on the trail at once and went straight to the cabin of a negro man who was found feigning sleep with a shotgun in his house and his shoes still wet with dew. A negro man had been seen to run away. He had a fifteen-year-old boy with him, who had been playing about the mines only the day before.

Both negroes were arrested and the lynching of the murderer was narrowly averted.

The body accompanied by Mrs. Ferrell, Maj. Taliaferro, his father-in-law, and Mr. George Connors, his cousin, arrived here yesterday morning. It was met by a number of friends and taken to the home of Mrs. J. O. Ferrell, on South Main street.

Chiles Clifton Ferrell was born near Greenville, S. C., August 20, 1865. He was the only son and child of James Overton and Elizabeth Austin Ferrell. He was 8 years old when his father came to Hopkinsville and his education was begun in his father's school here from 1875 to 1881. He graduated from Vanderbilt University with A. B. degree in 1885 and with A. M. the following year. He was instructor of Greek in Vanderbilt from 1885 to 1889. In 1889 he became a student at the University of Leipzig, Germany, from which he took the degree of Ph. D. in 1892. He traveled extensively in Great Britain, Germany, Switzerland, Austria and Italy and in 1894 took a course in Paris and in 1902 returned to Berlin for a summer course. He became professor in modern languages at the University of Mississippi, at Oxford, in 1903 and remained there until 1907. He was a member of the Modern Language Association of America, and was a member of the Vanderbilt Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa. He was married at Birmingham, Ala., August 16, 1899 to Miss Tenney, Marr Taliaferro, who survives him. Of three children born to them two survive, Chiles Clifton, Jr., age 9 and James Overton, aged 3.

In 1907 Mr. Ferrell gave up his work as an educator and went into business with his father-in-law in Birmingham. Since that time he had moved to a suburb of Birmingham, 25 miles out, and was engaged in coal mining, having recently opened the Pratt mine.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church at 3:30 o'clock by Rev. C. M. Thompson and the interment was in Riverside cemetery.

The pall-bearers were former schoolmates of the deceased or pupils of his father—Geo. E. Gary, Ira L. Smith, R. M. Wooldridge, W. A. Glass, A. W. Wood, R. A. Rogers, W. T. Cooper and Chas. M. Meacham.

THE LOCAL ACCOUNT

Birmingham, Ala., May 2.—Dr. Chiles Clifton Ferrell, president of the Export Pratt Coal Company, with mines forty miles in western

M'DERMOTT ON STUMP

Presents His Claims to the Voters of Christian County.

HEARD BY GOOD CROWD.

Able Lieutenant Governor Has Many Warm Friends Here.

Lieut. Gov. Edward J. McDermott spoke here yesterday afternoon in the interest of his candidacy for Governor. Mr. McDermott arrived on an early train and spent the forenoon meeting the people on the streets. He was introduced by Judge Walter Knight and the crowd that greeted him was large and representative. This brief article cannot go into a detailed report of his speech, which was published in the daily papers of Sunday. It was substantially a repetition of the Owensboro speech of Saturday.

Mr. McDermott makes a strong presentation of his claims, based on his familiarity with State affairs and his knowledge of the state's needs. He defined his position on the prohibition question as an original advocate of the present platform of the party.

Gov. McDermott is popular in this county, his ability and fitness for the honor he seeks being admitted by all.

DIED IN SPRINGFIELD

Remains of Richard Harris Interred Here Yesterday.

Richard Harrison, formerly of this city, died in Springfield, Tenn., Sunday, after a long illness of paralysis. The remains were brought here yesterday morning and interred in Riverside Cemetery.

Mr. Harrison was a son of the late Byron Harrison and was reared in this city. He resided in Earlington some years ago and later lived in Providence, Ky. He had been a resident of Springfield for several years.

The deceased was about 60 years old. His wife and one child survive.

part of the county was shot to death this morning about 1:30 o'clock when went to investigate barking by his little dog, suspecting that the commissary of the company was being robbed.

Several times recently the store of the company had been broken into and Dr. Ferrell, who resided across the road from the store, decided to keep a close watch. Hearing the dog this morning he rushed hastily to the outside of the house with a pistol and then two shots were heard, one of a pistol and the other of a shotgun. Dr. Ferrell was picked up later mortally wounded with buckshot wounds in head and chest, from which he died forty minutes later.

Two negroes charged with the crime were arrested and held.

Dr. Ferrell graduated at Heidelberg and for twelve years was professor of Germanic languages in the University of Mississippi. He married Miss Tennie Taliaferro of Birmingham, and is survived by a widow and two little sons. He came to Birmingham district and went into the coal mining business a few years ago. His remains were taken to Hopkinsville, Ky., for burial.

Yesterday's Nashville Tennessean said of him: "Dr. Ferrell was a brilliant student at Vanderbilt and was elected to the Phi Beta Kappa honorary fraternity after that fraternity was founded here. He was well-known in Nashville, especially to the older Vanderbilt graduates, some of his classmates still living in Nashville. News of his death will be received with sorrow in Nashville and Hopkinsville, his old home."

SINK GERMAN TORPEDOBOATS

British Destroyers More Than Even Up Scores in North Sea.

ONE ENGLISH WARSHIP SUNK.

Three Merchant Vessels, Including One American, Are Destroyed.

London, May 3.—A German submarine on Saturday sank the old British destroyer Recruit off the Galloper lightship, in the North sea, but the score was more than equalized by other British destroyers, which, after a stern chase overtook and sank the two German torpedo boats that had accompanied the submarine on her cruise.

Some of the crew of the Recruit were rescued by the trawler Daisy, but as the submarine fired on the fishermen they were compelled to leave the others to their fate. The British destroyers rescued most of the crews of the German torpedo boats and two officers were picked up by a passing steamer and taken to Holland.

Besides these incidents in the North sea the German submarines continued their operations off the Scilly Islands and in addition to torpedoing the American tank steamer Gulfight whose captain died of shock and on which two men were drowned, sank the French steamer Europe and the British steamer Fulgent, the captain of the latter vessel being shot and killed.

Beyond this there is little war news. The Germans claim an advance in their raid into the Russian Baltic provinces, and after defeating the Russians, to have reached the region southwest of Mitau, which is well on the road to Riga, and, if they are in strong force, they should prove a serious menace to Russian communications. It is believed here, however, that the movement is nothing more than a raid, and the Russians profess not to be disturbed over it.

There has been no further bombardment of Dunkirk, which would seem to indicate that the Germans only had one big gun in position, and that the French airmen have made it so uncomfortable for the gun crew that it has been withdrawn. As a reply to this bombardment the French have brought one of their big guns to bear on one of the forts on the south front of the fortress of Metz.

Along the rest of the western front, attacks and counter attacks continue, but no battle of importance has developed out of them.

It appears that the Turkish report that the Asiatic part of the Dardanelles is free of the invaders was correct, the French having gone ashore there only to make the landing of the British on the other side easier, and this accomplished, have been withdrawn, doubtless to land at some other point. News of these operations is awaited with the greatest interest, as, for the moment, they are considered among the most important of the war.

Lafferty-Cashman.

Miss Mamie Cashman, daughter of Rev. W. F. Cashman, of Russellville, formerly of this city, and G. M. Lafferty, of Casey, Ill., were married Sunday morning, the bride's father officiating. After a visit of a few days in Louisville, the couple will go to the Pacific coast to attend the exposition.

Three-Legged Chick.

Mrs. R. L. Nickols, of Oak Grove, reports the hatching of a chicken one day last week that had three well developed legs.

Miss Anne Morgan, the famous financier's daughter, advises girls to "marry when the right chap comes along," and never mind about a "career."

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TUESDAY, MAY 4

The British steamer Mobile, and the trawler, Lily Dale, have been sunk by a German submarine, off the coast of Scotland.

The allies are making substantial headway in the Dardanelles, the land forces having captured the city of Gallipoli, on the peninsula. Conflicting reports are sent out from Constantinople.

Rodman Sherrard, twenty-nine years old, and W. Gordon Holland, thirty four were killed in Hardin county Friday, at the public crossing at Vine Grove, when an I. C. passenger train struck the auto in which they were riding.

German battleships are evidently ignoring the English blockade and are at large in the North sea. The latest report is that Dunkirk, a coast town, was shelled Friday and 20 persons killed and 45 wounded by 19 shells of large calibre fired upon the town.

More than half the city of Colon was swept by a disastrous fire Friday afternoon. Ten persons are known to be dead, including two native policemen, and several hundred persons have been injured, while between 10,000 and 12,000 others, mostly negroes, have been rendered homeless. The loss is estimated at about \$2,000,000. The fire destroyed twenty-two building blocks.

Reports received from various cities in the south indicate that practically every daily newspaper, which a year ago printed a story alleging that Mrs. Mary Craig Sinclair, wife of Upton Sinclair, the novelist, had been arrested in New York, was being sued for damages ranging from \$10,000 to \$50,000, suits being brought in the various cities on telegraphic request from Mrs. Sinclair's attorneys in Mississippi. The article complained of stated that Upton Sinclair, his wife and several other persons had been arrested in connection with a demonstration in front of the building where John D. Rockefeller had his offices. The demonstration was said to have been intended as a protest against alleged conditions in the Colorado coal strike region. The report stated however, that Mrs. Sinclair had been released.

Your Child's Cough

Is a Call For Help.

Don't put off treating your Child's Cough. It not only saps their strength, but often leads to more serious ailments. Why risk? You don't have to. Dr. King's New Discovery is just the remedy your Child needs. It is made with soothing, healing and antiseptic balsams. Will quickly check the Cough and soothe your Child's Cough away. No odds how bad the Cough or how long standing, Dr. King's New Discovery will stop it. It's guaranteed. Just get a bottle from your Druggist and try it.

Girl Kills Self.

Miss Paulina Snowden, aged 18, at Nashville, shot and killed herself in a fit of despondency. She had lost a diamond setting from her mother's ring and her sweetheart at Lima, O., was in jail for killing another girl.

DIXIE BREAKFAST FOOD
is now on the market. Ask
your grocer.

QUESTION CLEARED UP

Hopkinsville Readers Can No
Longer Doubt The Evidence.

Again and again we have read of strangers in distant towns who have been cured by this or that medicine. But Hopkinsville's pertinent question has always been "Has anyone here in Hopkinsville been cured?" The word of a stranger living a hundred miles away may be true, but it cannot have the same weight with us as the word of our own citizens whom we know and respect, and whose evidence we can so easily prove.

Mrs. J. T. Cannon, 609 O'Neal St., Hopkinsville, says: "I have given Doan's Kidney Pills to my children at various times and have always found them beneficial. Whenever one of my children is bothered with kidney weakness, a few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills relieve the attack."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Cannon had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. Advertisement.

Paying the Spled.

Louis XVIII must have been sincerely grateful for the institution of spies. Shortly after the restoration he asked Fouché, his minister of police (who had filled the same office under Napoleon) whether he had been efficiently spied upon during his exile in England. After a considerable amount of pressing, Fouché admitted that one of the members of the royal household, the Duc de Blacas, used to furnish regular reports concerning his master's movements. "How much did you pay for his services?" inquired the king. "A fixed allowance of £8,000 a year," was the reply. "I am glad to hear you say that," said the king. "We arranged to divide his earnings as a spy, and so long as he was working for you I used to draw £4,000 a year. It is comforting to learn that he didn't cheat me."—London Chronicle.

Never can tell when you'll mash a finger or suffer a cut, bruise, burn or scald. Be prepared. Thousands rely on Dr. Thomas' Eucetic Oil. Your druggist sells it. 25c and 50c. Advertisement.

Destroying the Mosquito.

The way to destroy the mosquito in its larval stage is to pour a little kerosene on the surface of the pool or stream inhabited by the industrious wiggler. The oil shuts out the supply of oxygen from the water beneath. The wiggler rises tail first to the surface and tries to force his breathing tube through the thin layer of oil. He fails and promptly dies from suffocation—a suitable death for so frigid a insect.

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Had His Suspicions.

A subscriber of an Atchison newspaper sent the following to the editor: "I don't know that Ben Hurley took it, but I know I have been missing wood and loaded several sticks with powder last Sunday night; and I know that Ben Hurley lives near me, and that early Monday morning he drove hurriedly to town and bought a new stove."

Constipation causes headache, indigestion, cizziness, drowsiness. For a mild, opening medicine, use Doan's Regulat. 25c a box at all stores. Advertisement.

Mistletoe's Ravages.

Those familiar with the mistletoe only as a Christmas decoration have no idea of the great losses due to this parasite in the forests of the west, where it counts next to fire and insects in the amount of damage done.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

[Not A Day In Bed.

Gramling, S. C.—In a letter from Gramling, Mrs. Lule Walden says: "I was so weak before I began taking Cardui, that it tired me to walk just a little. Since taking it, I do all the housework for my family of nine and have not been in bed a day. Cardui is the greatest remedy for women, on earth." Weak women need Cardui. It is the ideal women's tonic because it is specially adapted for women's needs. It relieves backache, headache, dragging feeling, and other female misery. Try Cardui. A few doses will show you what it can do for you. It may be just what you want.—Advertisement.

WORTH SEEING.

Tenderfoot—Whaddye diggin' the big hole for?

Trapper—Wild cats.

Tenderfoot—By gravy, I've often heard of wildcat mines, but this is the first time I ever saw one!—Judge.

HIS CONSOLATION.

Teddy—I wonder if you know what an ass you've made of yourself!

Eddy—Yes, I do; but, by George! it was "made in America!"—Judge.

NEWS FOR MOTHER.

New Boy—Please, sir, do ye mind if I ring up the grocer on our corner so he can let me mother know I landed the job?—Judge.

TALK IS TIRING.

Stude (to home party queen)—Shall we dance or talk?

Queen—I'm so tired! Let's dance. Penn State Froth.

GENTLE GERTRUDE.

Penelope—Gertrude is a gentle creature, isn't she?

Percival—Yes. Instead of whipping the cream she just scolds it.

ORIGINATOR.

Governess—Who was Christopher Columbus?

Wise Willie—He was the original "See America First" advocate.

LIMITED CAPACITY.

"Well, Bobby, did you have all the pudding you wanted at dinner?"

"No'm; before I got half what I wanted I got full."

NECESSARY STEPS.

She—So Phil's married at last!

He—Yes; he was so hopelessly involved financially there was nothing else to do.—Judge.

A PROBLEM.

"Never take a step without some weight to it."

"But how about a ball-and-chain movement?"

ACCOUNTING FOR IT.

"Did you see where a man swallowed a dentist's drill?"

"Gee! It must have got on his nerves."

American Surgeons.

William Potter, president of Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, visited Walter H. Page, the American Ambassador, London, concerning a project to place a unit of thirty Philadelphia surgeons and physicians in a hospital in France to care for 1,000 wounded men.

Welcome Burden.

"A honey bee, coming home with the nectar," says John Burroughs, "will carry one-fifth of its own weight." Col. Boliver Beasley, who is also an authority on quite a number of subjects, says a man coming home with beer will carry almost one-half his own weight, and not complain about the burden, either.—New Orleans States.

Would Walk on Water.

German army officers are experimenting with rubber foot pontoons to enable soldiers to walk on water, carrying heavy loads and using their rifles freely at the same time.

China's Cattle Industry.

Contrary to general belief, China not only raises cattle in large numbers, but exports frozen beef in quantities which have now assumed a commercial magnitude of such size that world-wide possibilities may be expected in time to come. Upward of 200,000 cowhides are annually exported from Shanghai.

NOVEL SUICIDE

Connecticut Man Makes His
Best Girl Shoot Him.

Bridgeport, Conn., April 30.—Arthur Hearn Cowl, of New York, a grandson of James A. Hearn, dry goods merchant, died in a local hospital from a bullet wound in his head. According to the story told to the police by his supposed fiancée, Miss Emily Waeeler, she played an innocent part in his death.

He gave her an engagement ring, but before she could say anything he handed her the end of a ribbon. The other end of the ribbon was attached to the trigger of a revolver which Cowl had concealed under his coat. Miss Wheeler asked what the ribbon was for and Cowl replied that it was "a surprise." At his urgent request she pulled the ribbon, which caused the revolver to explode and the bullet crashed into Cowl's brain.

A Sluggish Liver

Needs Attention.

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Christians' Crucified.

New York, April 30.—Details of the recent massacre of native Christians at Urumiah, Persia, by Kurds, received today by the Presbyterian board of foreign missions, state that not less than 800 have been murdered there and not less than 2,000 have perished from disease. The attacks, it would appear, have not been confined to Kurds, but have been made, in at least one instance, by Turkish soldiers. Crucifixion and burning of Christians have been revived, missionaries report to the board, the attack in which Turkish soldiers were the assailants, according to the reports received by the board, was made upon the American mission and the French Roman Catholic mission.

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Proving Big Job.

The work which has been carried on for several weeks in an attempt to raise the submarine F-4 from the bottom of the ocean has practically all been undone by the rough weather of the last two days at Honolulu. Only one cable is left holding to the hulk. The scows used in the raising operations have been anchored to prevent them from drifting out to sea. On account of weather conditions lifting operations are impossible.

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Has Had Many Rulers.

The name Roumania comes down from the days of Roman rule, the country previous to that being overrun by semi-nomadic Getae and Dacians. Its vicissitudes, transformations, malformations and reformations have been innumerable, being ruled by this and that exploiting nation, and it only reached its present independence after the Russo-Turk war of 1877, and with the settlement for that time of the "Eastern question" by the congress of Berlin in 1878, Roumania became an area and impulses the little kingdom of today.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

No Use Wasting Money.

The charitable lady was treating a pensioner to a set of false teeth. The pensioner picked out the cheapest set offered. "Don't you think it would be well to select better teeth while you are about it?" asked the lady. "I am perfectly willing to pay a little more and get good ones." "Oh, my," lisped the pensioner. "What'n the uths of putting any more money into something that my husband will only knock down my throat the first time he geth real mad?"

Liv-Ver-Lax is harmless—not a deadly poison like calomel. Any child is safe and happy by the use of Liv-Ver-Lax.—Advertisement.

Great Truth.

"He who plays the fool will miss the prize."—Aesop.

WAR! What Is It
All About?

HAS the whole world gone stark mad over a very foolish and trivial question? Are swords rattling, cannon rumbling, mailed armour glistening just because Russia wanted to show her love for the little brother—Servia?

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ting acquainted with the farmers.
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friends, as well as holding his old
ones. The Weeds and Cockle Burrs,
we understand, are not friendly to-
wards him on account of his having
"cut them dead" on several occa-
sions.
Advertisement.

The Sleuth.

First Maid (at the keyhole)—Now
th' boss is tellin' th' missus that at
least th' servants suspect nothin'!—
Life.

BIRDS DESTROY MANY HARMFUL INSECTS



Crow Blackbird (Quiscalus, Quiscalia).

(Prepared by the United States Depart-
ment of Agriculture.)

In the spring the crow blackbird
(or grackle) follows the plow in
search of large grubworms and lit-
erally crams its stomach with this
pest which is so annoying to the
farmer. During the breeding season
also this bird does much good by eat-
ing insects and by feeding them to its
young, which are reared almost en-
tirely on this food.

The crow blackbird or grackle in
one or more of its subspecies is a
familiar object in all the states east
of the Rocky mountains. In the Mis-
sissippi valley it is one of the most
abundant of birds, preferring to nest
in the artificial groves and wind-
breaks near farms instead of in the
natural "timber" which it formerly
used. It breeds also in parks and
near buildings, often in considerable
colonies. Farther east, in New Eng-
land, it is only locally abundant,
though frequently seen in migration.
In the latter days of August and
throughout September it is found in
immense numbers before moving
southward.

The grackle is accused of many
sins, such as stealing grain and fruit
and robbing the nests of other birds.
An examination of 2,346 stomachs
shows that nearly one-third of its
food consists of insects, most of which
are injurious. The bird also eats a
few snails, crawfishes, salamanders,
small fish, and occasionally a mouse.
It is on account of its vegetable
food that the grackle most deserves
condemnation. Grain is eaten during
the whole year, and only for a short
time in summer is other food attrac-

tive enough to induce the bird to alter
its diet. The grain taken in win-
ter and spring probably consists of
waste kernels from the stubble. The
stomachs do not indicate that the
bird pulls sprouting grain; but the
wheat eaten in July and August and
the corn eaten in fall are probably
from fields of standing grain. The
total amount of grain consumed dur-
ing the year constitutes 45 per cent
of the food, but it is safe to say that
at least half is waste grain and con-
sequently of no value. Although the
crow blackbird eats a few cherries
and blackberries in their season, and
in the fall some wild fruit, it appar-
ently does no damage in this way.



Barn Swallow.

Swallows That Have Attached Them-
selves to Abodes of Man.
There are seven common species
of swallows in the United States and
four of these have already abandoned
their primitive nesting habits to some
extent and attached themselves to the
abodes of man. The swallow is one
of the important birds described in
the new Farmers' Bulletin (639) of
the United States department of agri-
culture, entitled "Some Common Birds
Useful to the Farmer."

The presence of swallows should
be encouraged by every device, says
the department's scientist. Barn
swallows may be encouraged by cut-
ting a small hole in the gable of the
barn, while martins and white-bellied
swallows will be grateful for boxes
placed in a high situation.
Cliff and barn swallows, it is said,
may be induced to build their nests
in a suitable locality by providing a
quantity of mud to be used as mor-
tar. It is a mistake to tear from the
eaves of a barn the nests of a colony
of cliff swallows, for in addition to
the fact that this bird destroys large
numbers of injurious and annoying

insects, the nests are picturesque
rather than ugly.

In the eastern part of the country
the barn swallow now builds exclu-
sively under roofs, having entirely
abandoned the rock caves and cliffs
in which it formerly nested. More
recently the cliff swallow has found a
better nesting site under the eaves of
buildings than was afforded by the
overhanging cliffs of earth or stone
which it once used and to which it
still resorts occasionally in the East
and habitually in the unsettled West.
The martin and the white-bellied, or
tree, swallow nest either in houses
supplied for the purpose, in abandoned
nests of woodpeckers, or in natural
cavities in rocks. The northern violet-
green swallow, the rough-winged
swallow, and the bank swallow still
live in practically such places as their
ancestors chose.

Field observation convinces an or-
dinary attentive person that the food
of swallows must consist of the small-
er insects captured in midair or
picked from the tops of tall grass or
weeds. This observation is borne out
by an examination of stomachs, which
shows that the food is made up of
many small species of beetles which
are much on the wing; many species
of mosquitoes and their allies, to-
gether with large quantities of flying ants;
and a few insects of similar kinds.

Unlike many other groups of birds,
the six species of swallows found in
the eastern states extend in a prac-
tically unchanged form across the con-
tinent, where they are re-enforced by
the northern, or Pacific coast, violet
green swallow.

HOW TO SHIP HATCHING EGGS

Most Important Thing is to Satisfy
Customers—Neat, Attractive
Package is Pleasing.

The most important thing is to
satisfy your customers by giving them
exactly what you advertise to sell, or
even doing a little better.

If eggs are broken in transit do not
hesitate to replace them the day you
receive the complaint from your cus-
tomer.

Give everybody a square deal and
remember that a satisfied customer is
always a customer.

A neat, attractive package may cost
a trifle more than a slovenly one, but
it will please your customers and ad-
vertise your egg business, because
customers very often judge a man's
business by first impressions of pack-
age and contents when they are re-
ceived.

The best package for shipping eggs
is a basket, although many breeders
do not use them.

The basket should hold one or two
settings, and these can be got for two
cents from any manufacturer. A thick
layer of excelsior should cover the
bottom, and all eggs should be
wrapped in soft paper and so packed
with fine excelsior that they will not
touch each other.

When the eggs are packed put an-
other layer of excelsior over the top
and cover with a thin board.

Next to the basket is the egg box
made for holding 13 or 15 eggs. This
is arranged with cardboard compart-
ments with room for excelsior or other
padding at the top and bottom.

This box is provided with a wire
handle and the cover slides into
grooves which may then be screwed
or tacked down with small nails.

Never ship a package that is not
screwed or nailed down, because this
will save eggs from being flched by
curious persons who can open the
package in transit.

Never ship a soiled egg. Nothing
so disgusts a customer as to receive a
setting of eggs which are dirty and
of poor shape.

Eggs should be selected so that
each setting will be uniform in size
shape and color when possible.

Give Fowls Oyster Shell.

Some say that oyster shell is only
suitable for egg-shell material and
will not do for grit. As a matter of
fact nearly all kinds of poultry will
eat oyster shell at all seasons of the
year. Growing chicks, goslings and
ducklings have no use for egg-shell
consequently their liking for it argues
that they need it to grind their food.

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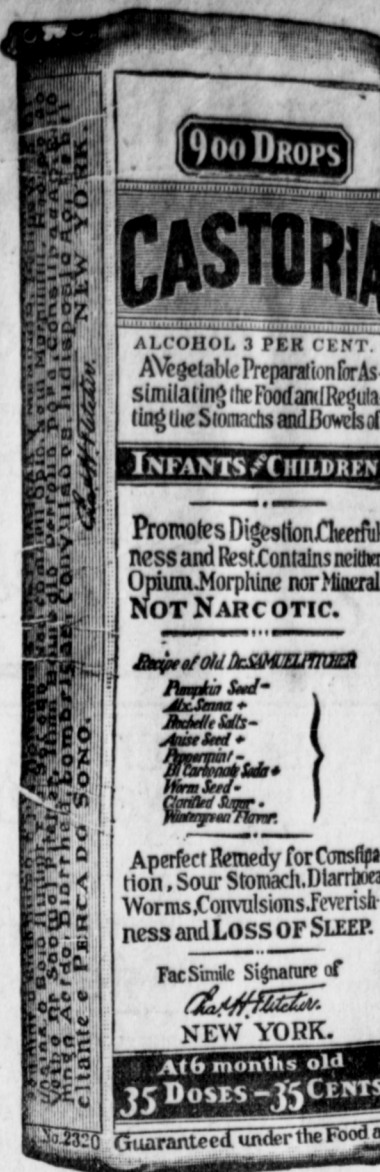
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VERY LIGHT WAS VOTE

School Elections Passed Off Lively Competition In All
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citement.

The school election Saturday brought out the lighter vote on record. L. E. Fowler, T. W. Morris and J. H. Cate had no opposition and only a scattering vote was cast. Last year when an exciting race was held hundreds of votes were cast, the winners receiving more than 500. This time the total vote was less than 80. The vote in detail was as follows:

L. E. Fowler 75.
T. W. Morris 75.
J. H. Cate 75.

Their terms are for three years.

Colored Election.

Frank Boyd and Wm. Norman, the two trustees of the colored schools whose terms were out, were re-elected without opposition for the second time. They were original appointees five years ago and are elected for three years more.

DR. BEAZLEY Specialist (Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.)

Jean H. E. St. Cyr, a natty young fellow of 28, has just married the elderly widow of "Silent" Smith, in New York, who is believed to be worth \$40,000,000. Three years ago the young man married Mrs. May Redfield, aged 60, widow of a Hartford banker. She died last January of pneumonia and cut him off with \$1,000. He hasn't grieved for her long.

American Walnut.

So beautiful and durable a wood as walnut never would have gone out of favor if it had been rightly handled. It was a victim of machine-made "decoration;" it was done to death by the meaningless curlicues with which it was "adorned." If the artisans of today will eschew such mistakes, abjure their effort to make wood glitter like glass and treat walnut as they do oak or mahogany, there is no reason why this peculiarly American product should not keep a high and permanent place in cabinetmaking.

MATINEE RACES FINE

Five of The Rings Last
Saturday.

The first matinee races were held Saturday at the Fairgrounds and a good crowd was on hand, great interest being shown. All of the races were well filled and there was lively competition. Following were the results, all half mile dashes:

Class A. Pace—Three entries, won by Joe Gregory's black Annie. Time 1.09½, 1.09. Buck Campbell's horse second, Tom Garnett's third.

Class A. Trot—Elmo Lacy's horse won first. W. G. Jones second, J. T. Johnson third. Four entries.

Class B. Trot—Will Summers first, Clardy and King tie for second and John Combs third. Four entries.

Class B. Pace—A. E. Keeling first, Low Johnson, Jr., second, Ben Winfree third. Four entries.

Green trot or Pace—Burnett first, Sam Campbell second, Lawrence Draper third. Six entries.

Why the Blues?

Everyone loves the blue sky, with its brightness, warmth and softness. Hundreds have written of it in glowing terms of praise, while the inarticulate millions have felt what they expressed. Who does not love a pair of blue eyes? Laughing blue eyes, true blue eyes, tender blue eyes, Irish blue eyes. The men who follow the sea love her every mood and hue, and yet 'tis her sparkling sapphire cloak they would have her don on the happiest occasions. "It is impossible, in our condition of society, not to be sometimes a snob," wrote Thackeray—not to have a heart that would relish pumping a little blue blood along with the red. But when our thoughts are dull, depressed and drear like an unkind wintry sky, we are in the blues. Why this paradoxical defamation of the color which is associated with so many of the fair and pleasing things of life? If we must vilify a color, there are yellow canaries and jaundice; there are yellow devils and danger. Why the blues?—Boston Globe.

An Umbrella Hint.

Before using a new umbrella or sunshade rub a small quantity of vaseline into the hinge portions of the frame. This will not run like oil, and it is a sure preventive against rust.

SECRET OF SUCCESS WITH VEGETABLES



Do Not Plan a Garden Larger Than You Can Keep Clean and Well Tilled.

(By W. MILTON KELLY.)

The one great secret of having success with the family vegetable garden is to provide an abundance of plant-food in a readily available form. Stable or barnyard manures are the best fertilizers at all times.

Commercial plant-foods are excellent in their places, especially when it is desired to force some of the early varieties of vegetables, but their use requires that the soil be in a high state of tilth and that the gardener have an expert knowledge of their uses and functions.

To properly prepare a garden I believe in plowing under a heavy application of manure in the fall, and then in the spring harrowing in another heavy coat of well-rotted manure. After putting on what we think is enough we double the amount and the chances are we will have it about right.

Constant cultivation should be the rule, for this will keep the soil in an ideal condition, physically, for the roots to grow in, besides keeping the weeds in check. Allowing the weed seeds to germinate and quickly destroying them early in the season will save a large amount of work during the summer, besides conserving much needed moisture.

Eliminate all of the old-fashioned beds and plant everything in long rows, so that most of the cultivation can be done with a horse. There need not be an unpleasant amount of hand work if properly worked with a horse and cultivator.

Leave plenty of room at the ends for turning around with the horse while cultivating.

Do not plan a larger garden than you can keep clean and well tilled. A small garden will supply an abundance of vegetables for a large family.

After the soil has been well enriched and well fitted we are ready to plant. If the plan has been well worked out all that is necessary is to plant each variety at the proper time in the right place.

The family garden should be planned to suit the needs of the family, and no two families will agree as to the amount of each kind of vegetables to grow. The time to plant varies so largely with the locality that I will offer no advice as to dates of planting. The date also varies with the season.

If we will study out the time it requires each crop to mature we may be able to plan other crops to take their place as soon as they are consumed.

A few crops like blood beets, eggplant, melons, onions, peppers, tomatoes, and winter squash, require a whole season to mature. Other crops like lettuce, radishes, early beets, summer squash and string beans will mature early enough to allow other crops to be grown on the same soil after they are gone.

The great object in doing this in the farmer's garden is to keep the soil from growing a rank growth of weeds later in the season.

It is not my purpose to advise which varieties to grow. Study the seed catalogues, talk with successful gardeners in your own locality, and form your own conclusions.

I should do more harm than good by commending varieties for all localities. Get interested in the garden early by sending for the various seed catalogues and garden implement catalogues. Good seed means success, and good garden implements are a pleasure to handle.

CARING FOR SPRING LITTERS

Considerable Attention Is Necessary, but There Is Nothing Difficult Connected With Task.

Pig feeding and pig care is mostly made up of common sense matters like seeing that the mother is properly fed, the youngsters sheltered as they ought to be, and that they do not get chilled during the first few days of their lives. This takes considerable care and watching, but there is nothing about it that anyone cannot do.

Feeding the little pigs is a job that falls to the mother for the first two or three weeks of their lives. If she is in vigorous health prior to the coming of the pigs, this part of the job will take care of itself. When the pigs show an inclination to try to eat when the sow is fed then the hog grower will have to bestir himself and make ready to take care of their growing appetites.

During the first days of the pig's life he will have to be watched to see that he does not get the life crushed out of him against the sides of the pen and that he does not wander outside and freeze to death. Properly built pens and hog houses will take care of this part of the job. Where the sow is kept in a big hoghouse her pen should be so tightly built that the little fellows cannot slip out into the other pens. There ought to be a sort of a fender around the walls of the pen, so the pig cannot be caught against the wall by the sow.

When the weather is very cold, some sort of an arrangement whereby the litter can come in a reasonably warm house should be made. A great many pigs are lost every winter through exposure in bitterly cold weather. Some hog raisers put artificial heat in their houses and keep them warmed up for the first four or five days after the litter comes. This cannot be done on the average farm, but a good warm place can be provided.

The Dead Canes.

Raspberry and blackberry growers have a task that comes in no other kind of fruit growing, says New York State Farmer. To be sure there are thinning and trimming in all fruit plantations or orchards, but the cane fruit men must go over the patches.

Best Place for Nests.

The nests may be placed on the side walls or under the dropping boards. It is best to have them darkened, as hens prefer a secluded place in which to lay.

STONE BEST FOR FOUNDATION

More Satisfactory Than When Built on Wooden Base—Will Prevent All Leakages.

If it is necessary to use a storage tank for water pressure on the farm, a tank built on the ground with a stone foundation will be found much more satisfactory than if built upon a wooden base. Some farmers have storage tanks built in the tops of



Tank on Stone Foundation.

barns, but an occasional overflow or a little leakage will soon prove disastrous, for this will rot the timbers underneath. A stone foundation will prevent this trouble.

WAY OF PREPARING POULTRY

French Method Acknowledged Superior to Others—Each Carcass Is Shown With Back Up.

The French method of preparing poultry for the market is acknowledged, in some respects, superior to others.

The birds are made very fat and plump and are manipulated to increase plumpness.

A few feathers are left on the tail and neck. The skin is white and delicate.

Each carcass is tied with a ribbon and is shown back upmost instead of breast up, according to the American and English method.

Secret of Egg Scarcity. One of the secrets of egg scarcity is overfeeding and laziness. Nearly all owners keep their laying hens too fat and give them too little exercise.

In winter there should be quite a variety of food, chosen with a view to supplying egg ingredients.

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HEAVY LOSS IN OFFICERS

6,227 Have Been Killed, Wounded or are Missing, Says Official Casualty List.

LONDON, Apr 13.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—An officers' casualty list for the fortnight ended April 10, shows that the British army lost 46 officers killed and 110 wounded—a total of 156 during the fortnight.

The casualties in only one regiment exceeded double figures—namely the Royal Engineers, which had 3 killed and 8 wounded.

Since the beginning of the war 1,961 officers have been killed, 5,528 wounded, and 738 are reported missing bringing the total up to 6,227.

DIXIE BREAKFAST FOOD is now on the market. Ask your grocer.

Fatal Fire.

I. D. Lewis and B. U. Davis, both of that city, were burned to death in a fire that destroyed the Mitcham hotel at Athens, Tex. Seventy other guests were slightly injured.



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to One
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Player.

The Chicago Tribune had this mention of a Hopkinsville boy who died there last week:

"Irving Long, a well-known figure in the pocket billiards world, died yesterday afternoon at St. Luke's hospital of ptomaine poisoning. He became ill nine days ago. Long was born in Kentucky 42 years ago. He started his billiard career when 16 years of age at the old Brevoort here.

In March, 1902, he competed in the world's championship staged by Clarence Green at Brooklyn and took fifth place, Clearwater winning on the playoff of a tie with Weston. Until two years ago Long conducted a room in Nashville, Tenn., in which city he will be buried. He was a regular attendant at the matches played during the world's three cushion tournament here last month."

The Record Herald also gave this notice of his death:

"Irving (Kid) Long, well-known and popular in sporting circles, died yesterday at noon at St. Luke's Hospital of ptomaine poisoning. Only a few years since Long was rated one of the best pocket billiard players in the country and he took part in more than one championship tournament. He had a host of friends and all through life made a practice of helping the 'down-and-out.' Long was born in Hopkinsville, Ky., forty-two years ago. The remains will be shipped to his mother's home at Nashville, Tenn., for burial."

In a letter to the Kentuckian, William J. Cowan, of Chicago, himself a Hopkinsville boy, adds this tribute:

"Long was esteemed very highly by all his many friends, and was undoubtedly the best liked man in the billiard fraternity, and was rated among the high-class pocket billiard players as one of the top notchers. He was only beaten three balls by De Ora in a world's championship. I felt that Hopkinsville should know how highly it was represented in the art of billiards."

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Corrected April 24, 1915.

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BRIBERY MAY FLOURISH IF CONDUCTED PROPERLY

Conviction Under Present Law Difficult, Says Appeals Court.

Frankfort, Ky., April 28.—"Until the Legislature sees proper to change the existing law, the bribe giver and the bribe taker, if they are prudent and discreet, may go unpunished," said Judge Carroll today in the opinion of the Court of Appeals, reversing the Pike Circuit Court in the case of W. T. Romes, who had been convicted of selling his vote in the 1913 election for \$4, and was fined \$150 and disfranchised.

The law requires that where there is a single witness to election bribery there must be "strong corroborative evidence." In this case Don Ramsey testified that he gave Romes \$4 upon his promise to vote "the whole Republican ticket." Romes denied it. Will Ramsey testified that Romes had a reputation as a vote seller and said he had bought Romes' vote in the elections of 1908, 1909 and 1912; but the court said "what he did in those years did not corroborate the evidence of Don Ramsey as to what he did in 1913;" that the offense of which he was accused was a "single act, not a part of any scheme or plan." It was not circumstantial evidence, because "circumstantial evidence is that which tends to connect the accused with the particular crime under investigation. When the accused is put on trial, charged with the commission of one distinct offense, having no immediate or circumstantial connection with any other offense or any other person or thing, it is well settled that evidence of the commission of other like offenses is not admissible." Nor, the court said, was it competent to show Romes' general reputation as a bribe taker.

The court continued: "That this legislation makes it extremely difficult to secure the conviction of guilty persons is plain, for bribery is a secret crime, needing only the participation of the bribe giver and bribe taker to complete it, and it seldom occurs that these evildoers commit the offense in public or in the presence of other persons, or under conditions that would permit corroborative evidence of their guilt."

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In an interesting article in the current issue of Farm and Fireside entitled, "Is Sex an Accident?" appears the following:

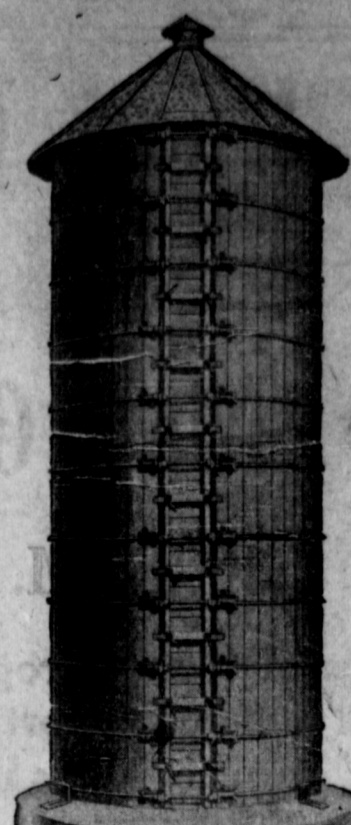
"If a splendid layer is mated with an ordinary cock, the pullets will be just ordinary layers, but the cockerels will inherit the egg-laying character of their mother and stamp this on their own daughters, about half of which will be as good layers as their grandmother on their father's side. Just read this sentence over again and it will not appear as complicated as perhaps it did at first. The lesson from all this is: 'If you want your hens to be good layers, always select breeding cocks from the sons of good-laying hens.'"

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No. 95—Dixie Flyer 9:35 a. m.
No. 55—Hopkinsville Ar. 7:00 a. m.
No. 53—St. L. Fast Mail 5:24 a. m.
TRAINS GOING NORTH.
No. 92—C. & St. L. Lim., 5:29 a. m.
No. 52—St. Louis Express, 9:55 a. m.
No. 94—Dixie Flyer, 7:08 p. m.
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comes or goes today, what happens
or what does not happen, there is
one thing of which I am sure, and
that is, I am going to get the most
possible out of the day. I am not
going to allow anything to rob me
of my happiness, or of my right to
live this day from beginning to end,
and not merely to exist.

"I do not care what comes, I shall
not allow any annoyance, any hap-
pening, any circumstances which
may cross my path today, to rob me
of my peace of mind. I will not be
unhappy today, no matter what oc-
curs. I am going to enjoy the day
to its full, live the day completely.
This day shall be a complete day
in my life. I shall not allow the
enemies of my happiness to mar it.
No misfortune in the past, nothing
which has happened to me in days
gone by, which has been disagreeable
or tragic, no enemies of my happi-
ness or efficiency shall be a guest in
my spirit's sacred inclosure today.
Only happy thoughts, joy thoughts,
only the friends of my peace, com-
fort, happiness and success, shall
find entertainment in my soul this
day. None of my enemies shall gain
admittance to scrawl their hideous
autographs on the walls of my mind.
There shall be no admittance today,
except to the friends of my best
moods. I will tear down the black,
sable pictures and hang pictures of
joy and gladness, of things which
will encourage, cheer and increase
my power. Everything which ever
handicapped my life, which has made
me uncomfortable and unhappy,
shall be expelled, at least for this
day. So that when night comes I
can say, 'I have lived today!'"

Extract, "The Joys of Living,"
Marden.

MIX-UP



Our Willie has some
Loosened slats.
'Twas partly football,
Partly frats.

HASTY NEWS.

Redd—Do you believe in dreams?
Greene—Some dreams.
"Well, you know to dream of a fire
means hasty news."
"So I've heard."
"Well, last night I dreamed of a
fire, and this morning I read in the
paper that my brother had been fined
for speeding."

AT THE ZOO.

"Why, there's nothing but bees
here."
"What did you expect to find?"
"Well, when I asked to be di-
rected to the apiary I certainly
thought I was going to the place
where they kept the apes."

ALWAYS THE SAME.

"She was all the rage when he
married her."
"And she has lost no chance to
storm at him ever since."—Judge.

THEIR MOTIVE POWER.

"Spankers on boats are not man-
aged mechanically, are they?"
"No, sir. Spankers are mostly
used by hand power, sir."

DWARFING HERSELF.

"She goes regularly through her
husband's pockets."
"Doesn't a woman make herself
small to do that?"

THE IDEA.

"I see Mrs. Petty wheeling her
baby out in a perambulator."
"Yes. Out for a little son and
beir."

Rosy As a Girl.

Summit, N. C.—In a letter receiv-
ed from this place, Mr. J. W. Crouch,
the notary public, says: "My wife
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Christian, Calloway, Trigg and Lyon
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We are authorized to announce
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of Trigg county, a candidate for re-
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torney of the Third Judicial District of
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tian County Circuit Court. Primary
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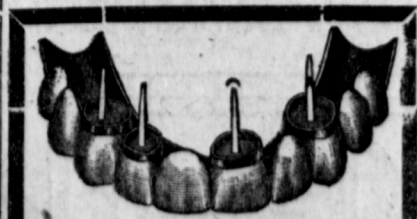
We are authorized to announce
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of Graves county as a candidate for
the Democratic nomination for judge
of the Court of Appeals from the
First district, subject to the Demo-
cratic primary election Aug. 7, 1915.

We are authorized to announce
JUDGE J. T. HANBURY,
of Christian county, as a candidate
for re-election as Judge of the Third
Judicial District of Kentucky, sub-
ject to the action of the Democratic
primary election Aug. 7, 1915.

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as a candidate for the Democratic
nomination for Auditor of Public
Accounts, subject to the primary
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When the Motives Are Purely Human-
itarian the Best Results Have
Been Attained.

In an article in Safety Engineer-
ing it is suggested by George A.
Covens, manager of the bureau of
safety of the Utica Mutual Compens-
ation corporation, that the funda-
mental motive in establishing safety
work in an industrial plant should be
humanitarianism. He writes:

"Manufacturing corporations in
all parts of the United States have
testified that efficient safety organi-
zations, as conducted in their facto-
ries, have, on an average, reduced the
number of accidents in their plants
at least 50 per cent. In some plants
accident records have been reduced
as much as 65 per cent. The indus-
trial accident board of Massachusetts
has found that, through the organi-
zation of efficient safety committees
the employees of Massachusetts may
eventually save on each injury an
average of \$40. Statistics show that
such organizations have saved at
least 50 per cent of the losses in
wages sustained by employees on ac-
count of preventable accidents. Em-
ployers may expect, therefore, ulti-
mately to save the entire cost of
insurance on the preventable cases.
At least 60 to 70 per cent of all ac-
cidents are preventable. No employer
should, if he desires to make it a
success, organize a safety committee
solely for pecuniary gain. Human-
itarianism should be the primary mo-
tive to inspire employers to perfect
such an organization."

TESTING HIS WARES



Hodge—What does that man next
door mean by yelling all the time?

Dodge—That's his business! he in-
vents college yells and is getting
ready for the coming football season

TOO WISE TO BITE.

Maud—Don't you think there are
just as good fish in the sea as ever
were caught?

Marie—I don't know. But they
are smarter, anyway.—Boston Eve-
ning Transcript.

OBJECT OF STUDY.

"What is that class of girls do-
ing?"
"Studying fossils."
"Well, I used to object to being
called one, but I guess I'll own up
to it now."

AND GRIND ITS IVORIES.

"So Miss Banger played for you?"
"She claims that she can make the
piano speak."

"Well, I'll bet if it spoke it would
say: 'Woman, you have played me
false.'"

PROVIDENT DUFFER.

Patron—I want some fish balls.
Dealer—What for?

Patron—I'm going out golfing,
and I want them to drive at the wa-
ter hazards.—Judge.

DISCOURAGING.

Nurse—The doctor told me to take
your temperature.

Patient—All right. You can tell
him it's all I've got he can take.

APPROPRIATE ACTION.

"John and his wife had a quarrel
over her not wanting to mend his
clothes."

"Oh, they patched that up."

THEIR KIND.

"There goes a man noted for his
dark deeds."

"Is he a crook?"
"No; a coal heaver."

HER SPECIAL NEED.

"What is that seamstress fussing
about the hotel for?"
"She is trying to find a needle
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To the Democrats of Kentucky:

I wish to announce myself a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Attorney General in the August primary election, and because of recent developments I wish to define my views in a general way upon questions affecting the future of the party.

As a Democrat and as a candidate for public office, I am very greatly interested in the success of the Democratic party in the November election. I am opposed to making State-wide prohibition an issue in this campaign for State officers or the



JOHN C. DUFFY.

test of any candidate's Democracy or of his fitness for office in the Democratic party. I am not interested in the whisky business, either directly or indirectly, nor identified with it in any way whatever.

As a member of the last session of the General Assembly I voted for the 25 per cent. bill perfecting the county unit bill, and also voted against the sale of whisky in my own county under that law as perfected, but I do not believe that it will bring any good to the Democratic party or to the cause of temperance in this State to make State-wide prohibition an issue in this campaign for the election of State officers. When the people want this question submitted to them they can have it done through their representatives in the General Assembly, which is the only body having jurisdiction of the subject matter. Since the Governor has no power of veto over a measure of this kind or resolution submitting an amendment to the Constitution, there is no reason why his position on such questions should be made a test of his fitness for the office of Governor. There are many reasons why State-wide prohibition should not be the test of the election of other State officers who have nothing whatever to do with the submission of this question to a vote of the people, unless in a ministerial way.

I am of the opinion that a bitter discussion of this question may prove disastrous to the success of the party in November and prevent

the enactment of much-needed legislation in the next General Assembly, as it did in the last one. There is no need of seeking this new issue, which it is admitted can only be settled in years to come, when we now have questions which demand the most serious and immediate consideration by the next administration.

The State is now nearly \$3,000,000 in debt and constantly growing deeper in debt. This situation is of first importance and demands a revision of our tax laws in such a way as to relieve the present indebtedness and to provide for the necessary expenses of the State government in the future. The power of the corrupt lobby at Frankfort must be destroyed by the enactment of an effective anti-lobby bill and an anti-pass bill in compliance with the Constitution of the State. An anti-trust law should be enacted in accord with the decisions of the Supreme Court and of our own Court of Appeals. The question of prison contract labor will have to be solved in the near future. A law for the reasonable regulation of railroads and other public service corporations should be enacted. A more perfect system of public education must be provided, and the great question of good roads or better roads, besides many other problems, must be solved by the people of this State.

The Democratic party having provided local option laws under which 106 of the 120 counties of the State have voted dry and having neglected all other questions. I am of the opinion that these great questions should have our next consideration. Certainly the condition of our State government, the public roads, the public schools and the material prosperity of our people are questions closely affecting public morals, and if State-wide prohibition is made an issue it will prevent proper consideration of these questions and will accomplish no immediate good. With this brief statement of my position on this question so seriously threatening the future of our party and the people of the State, I submit my candidacy to the Democratic voters of Kentucky. JOHN C. DUFFY, Hopkinsville, Ky.

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MONEY THROWN AWAY.

Husband—You charge me with reckless extravagance. When did I ever make a useless purchase?

Wife—Why, there's that fire extinguisher you bought a year ago; we've never used it once.—Boston Evening Transcript.

HER SCOPE.

Clara—I hear that Grace has gone in for charity.

Agnes—Yes; but she restricts it to the obviously needy.—Judge.

HIS CAPACITY.

"Why did they give him a submarine command?"

"Because he was noted for going to the bottom of things."

NOT THE CASE.

"Do you believe in treating like with like?"

"Well, I wouldn't try to handle my kids with gloves."

THE WAY.

"How does Belle manage to preserve her complexion so well?"

"I guess she keeps it in an air-tight jar."



MAKING DIRT ROADS BETTER

Foreman Must Know What, How and When to Plow—Avoid Building Up Too Much at One Time.

(By E. VAN BENTHUYSEN.)

With a sandy soil and a subsoil of clay, or clay and gravel, plow deep so as to raise and mix the clay with the surface soil and sand. The combination forms a sand-clay road at trifling expense.

If the road be entirely of sand a mistake will be made if it is plowed, unless clay can be added. Such plowing would merely deepen the sand, and at the same time break up the small amount of hard surface material which may have formed.

If the subsoil is clay, and the surface scant in sand or gravel, plowing should not be resorted to, as it would result in a clay surface rather than one of sand or gravel.

A road foreman must know not only what to plow and what not to plow, but how and when to plow.

If the road is of the kind which, according to the above instructions, should be plowed over its whole width, the best method is to run the first furrow in the middle of the road and work out to the sides, thus forming a crown. Results from such plowing are greatest in spring or early summer.

In ditches a plow can be used to good advantage, but should be followed by a scraper or grader. To make wide, deep ditches nothing better than the ordinary drag scraper has



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yet been devised. For hauls under 100 feet, or in making "fills," it is especially serviceable.

It is a mistake, however, to attempt to handle long-haul material with this scraper, as the wheel-scraper is better adapted to such work. For hauls of more than 800 feet, a wagon should be used. The machine most generally used in road work is the grader or road machine. This machine is especially useful in smoothing and crowning the road and in opening ditches. A clay subsoil under a thin coating of soil should not be disturbed with a grader. It is also a mistake to use a grader indiscriminately and to pull material from ditches upon a sandy road.

Not infrequently turf, soil and silt from ditch bottoms are piled in the middle of the road in a ridge, making mudholes a certainty. It is important in using a grader to avoid building up the road too much at one time. A road gradually built up by frequent use of the grader will last better than if completed at one operation.

The foreman frequently thinks his road must be high in the first instance. He piles up material from ten inches to a foot in depth, only to learn, with the arrival of the first rain, that he has furnished the material for so many inches of mud. All material should be brought up in thin layers, each layer well puddled and firmly packed by a roller or traffic before the next is added. A common mistake is to crown too high with the road machine on a narrow road.

The split-log drag should be used to fill the ruts and smooth the road when not too badly washed. The drag possesses great merit and is so simple in construction and operation that every farmer should have one.

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FIRST CASE OF KIND

Germany to Be Held "To a Strict Accountability."

Washington, May 3.—Press reports of the torpedoing of the American steamer Gulfight and the loss of her captain and some members of the crew created a stir in official circles here.

If first reports are borne out, the attack on the Gulfight constitutes the first case of an American ship struck by a torpedo with the consequent loss of lives. Two have been sunk by mines, the responsibility for which never has been fixed, and an American, Leon C. Thresher, was drowned when the British ship Fala-ba was torpedoed.

The United States government has just completed its investigation of the Thresher case, but in view of the direct attack on an American vessel now reported, it is probable that both incidents will be dealt with in whatever diplomatic action is taken.

It was recalled that in the note sent to Germany in answer to Germany's proclamation of a sea war zone the Washington government stated that it would hold Germany "to a strict accountability" for the loss of any American lives or vessels.

The course of the United States in the case of the Gulfight is not likely to be determined for several days, as some time probably will be required to get the facts. The possibility of any action other than a demand for damages is considered remote because of the belief of officials that the attack on the Gulfight probably will be found to have been accidental.

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PURELY PERSONAL

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Mrs. H. M. Gardner is visiting Mrs. Walter Faulkner at Marion.

Presiding Elder T. L. Hulse, Dr. Lewis Powell and Rev. Virgil Elgin have returned from district conference at Ekton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holder have returned from Cannelton, Ind. Mr. Holder is an artist who made a number of oil paintings for Hopkinsville people last year.

ONE'S STANDARD OF CONDUCT

Beggar's Attitude Not Greatly Different From That Taken by Many Men in Higher Positions.

A wretched beggar, whose "I Am Blind" sign was a lie, was arrested with several companions who made a specialty of preying on churchgoers. He explained that he only practiced fraud on week days and begged honestly on the Sabbath.

A great deal of moralizing and of cynicism might be expended on this old man's singular ethics. Yet each person has his standard of conduct, and includes in it reservations no less inconsistent than the beggar's delicate attitude toward Sunday. We are prone to be proud of things we do not do, rather than of our positive goodness. Not stopping at that, we judge those whose code permits them wider latitude than that we enjoy.

The faking beggar clings to a negative virtue, founds his sole claim to a self-respect on that. Many another, dwelling on planes far above the beggar, yields to the same naive tendency.—Detroit News

DIDN'T WORK.

"When my wife starts talking on an embarrassing subject I always change it."

"I've tried that with my wife, but it was no go. She simply exhausted the new subject and then took up the old one where she left off."—Boston Evening Transcript.

ARRESTS SYMPATHY.

Regular Customer—I shall want a large quantity of flowers from you next week for my daughter's coming out.

Flower Woman—Yes, mum, You shall have the very best for 'er, pore dear. Wot were she put in for?—London Punch.

Fine Son.

Born to the wife of Mr. J. C. Fleming, of near Bennettstown, a fine boy last Friday.

TAG DAY

Bethel Girls Raised Nice Fund For School.

The young ladies of Bethel College yesterday spent the day on the streets pinning tags on hundreds who paid anywhere from ten cents up for them. The girls had the territory in the business section divided up and under the direction of Alumnae officers, they did a fine day's work for the school. Everybody helped some and many bought more than one.

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Had to Stay There.

"You are not very happy in this house," friends remarked to the renter. "No, I can't say we are." "Your ceilings are falling." "They are, and that isn't all. Our roof leaks, our cellar fills with water every time it rains, our radiators thump, our furnace is too small for the house, its appetite is too large for our income, our gutters have rusted away, the porch sags, the house hasn't had a new coat of paint for seven years, the wall paper hangs loose in every room and the chimney is shorter after every windstorm." "Why in the world don't you move?" "Because we can't find another house with a hall that our long oriental runner will fit."

Heroes of the Coast.

It was on a stormy March night in 1807 that the first lifeboat on the American coast battled through the raging surf and picked up a half dozen sailors from a stranded schooner. In 1848 congress recognized the noble work of this society by granting it an appropriation of \$10,000. Then the government organized a small service of its own on Cape Cod. But not till the winter of 1871 did it put its heart ardently into a national life-saving service. Today there is a little army of 2,000 superb but silent heroes who nightly for eight months of the year patrol the longest and one of the most dangerous coasts in the world.

Still In Courts.

Lawyers for the "wets" have filed a supersedeas bond and will appeal from the decision of Circuit Judge Benton upholding the "dry" victory in Clark county.

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